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**REPLY/AMENDMENT  
FEE TRANSMITTAL**

		Attorney Docket No.	1761.1001	
		Application Number	09/944,589	
		Filing Date	September 4, 2001	
		First Named Inventor	Takayuki NORIMATSU	
		Group Art Unit	3682	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	0.00	Examiner Name	William C. JOYCE	

**FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03)**

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	12	- 20 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3	- 3 =	0	X \$ 86.00 =	0.00
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>March 20, 2004</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$420); 3 months (\$950); 4 months (\$1,480); 5 months (\$2,010)): _____					
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$330.00) _____					
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00) _____					
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00) _____					
Total of above Calculations = \$ 0.00					
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28) _____					
TOTAL FEES DUE = \$ 0.00					

(1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".  
 (2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".  
 (4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".  
 (5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

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**METHOD OF PAYMENT**

Check enclosed as payment.  
 Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.  
 No payment is enclosed and no charges to the Deposit Account are authorized at this time (unless specifically required to obtain a filing date).

**GROUP 360**

**GENERAL AUTHORIZATION**

If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:  
 Deposit Account No. 19-3935  
 Deposit Account Name STAAS & HALSEY LLP

The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

**SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP**

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Takayuki NORIMATSU

Serial No. 09/944,589

Group Art Unit: 3682

Confirmation No. 1652

Filed: September 4, 2001

Examiner: William C. JOYCE

For: WHEEL BEARING ASSEMBLY

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**GROUP 3600**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Response is supplemental to the Amendment filed December 22, 2003.

The following remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.